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Subject: **UCARCIDE™ P 200 Antimicrobial, EPA Registration No. 464-713**  
ortho-phthalaldehyde - 6(a)(2) Information

Dear Sir/Madam:

Pursuant to Section 6(a)(2) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) as amended, 7 U. S. C. Section 138d(a)(2), The Dow Chemical Company hereby submits the following study regarding ortho-phthalaldehyde:

45702401 Vol. 1: ESG International (2002). *Ortho-Phthalaldehyde: Growth Inhibition Test with Freshwater Green Alga, Selenastrum capricornutum* Printz, Guideline 850.5400, The Dow Chemical Company, 97 pages.

This study explored the growth inhibition of the freshwater green alga, *Selenastrum capricornutum* to ortho-phthalaldehyde according to OPPTS Method 850.5400 and OECD Method #201.

I trust that you will find this submission to be in good order. Any questions or problems please do not hesitate to call.

Very truly yours,

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